CHAP. XLIII.

An Act relative to the unfinished Records of Frederick County. Lib. TH. No. 4, fol. 271.

CHAP. 43.

Passed Jan 16, 1815

BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Records to be completed—Exthe justices of the levy court of Frederick county shall be and they pense to be levied. are hereby authorised and directed, to contract with some suitable person to make, enter and complete, the records in the office of the clerk of Frederick county remaining unfinished at the time of the death of the late clerk. William Ritchie, deceased, so that the annual expense thereof shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars, to be levied annually, for a term not exceeding three years, with other county assessments, and the records so made shall be as valid and effectual as if the same had been completed in the life time of the said William Ritchie, whose heirs, representatives and securities, are hereby released from their liability on his office bond, so far as the condition thereof relates to the making, entering and completing, the records aforesaid.

CHAP. XLIV.

An Act for the benefit of the Heirs of George N. Ford, late of Charles Passed Jan 16, 1815 County, deceased. Lib. TH. No. 4, fol. 271. A Private Act.

CHAP. XLV.

An Act to lay out and make public a Road in Cecil County. Lib. Passed Jan 16, 1815 TH. No. 4, fol. 272.

1. BE IT ENACTED. by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Commissioners ap-James Beard, Thomas White and James Gillespie, of Cecil counjointed and appearance of the purty, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners for the purposes of this act, and that they, or a majority of them, are hereby authorised and required to survey and lay out a road, not exceeding thirty feet wide, clear of ditches, beginning on the road leading from Peach Bottom Ferry to Christianna Bridge, at or near the north east corner of Joseph Haine's orchard, and the dividing line of lots Nos. 8 and 9, thence along said line between the lands of Joseph Haines and William Kirk, thence between the lands of said Kirk, Samuel Taylor and Mary Haines, until it intersects the public road from the Bald Fryer Ferry to Christianna Bridge, thence across said road, and through the lands of Job Haines, until it intersects the division line of the lands of Job Haines, and the heirs of Elisha Kirk, and thence along said line until it intersects a public road from the Rising Sun in West Nottingham, to Charlestown; Provided, that the said road shall not be made to pass Proviso through the buildings, vards, gardens or orchards, of any person or persons, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof.

2. AND BE IT ENACTED, That it shall be the duty of the com- Plotand certifimissioners aforesaid, or a majority of them, on or before the first eate to be made Monday of September next, to cause a plot and certificate of said road to be made, and return the same to the levy court of Cecil county, at the first sitting thereafter; and if the levy court of said county, upon consideration of all circumstances, shall be of opinion that the said road will be of advantage, then and in such case the clerk of said county shall record the same plot and certificate. whereupon it shall and may be lawful for the levy court of said county to levy upon the assessable property of said county such

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